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	Title: <i>Methods for Screening for Transdominant Intracellular Effector Peptides and RNA Molecules</i>	

Sir:

This amendment is responsive to the Office Action dated October 28, 2002, which set a three-month period for response.

Please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please replace the pending claims with the correspondingly numbered claims below. Claims amended herein are noted by the text in parentheses. Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the specification and claims by the current amendment; captioned "VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE."

Cancel claims 22 and 29.

16. (amended) A molecular library comprising at least 10^4 different retroviral nucleic acid sequences, wherein said retroviral nucleic acid sequences comprise an insertion of a nucleic acid sequence that encodes a candidate bioactive peptide of from 4 to 100 amino acids in length, wherein said candidate bioactive peptide comprises a randomized portion.

17. (amended) A molecular library of retroviruses according to claim 16 comprising at least 10^5 different retroviral nucleic acid sequences.